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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 9, 1800. Roberts-and Talmage.

It has often been remarked, by observers of human affairs, that one thing usually leads to another, and this truth has received a fresh illustration within the last Yew days. In view of the recent agitstion over the Roberts case, the ever-ready and always remarkable Dr. Talmage saw At to preach a sermon on the subject; this sermon inspired aundry reflections in the

mind of a gentleman who read it and anslyzed it by the ordinary processes of logic; and these reflections are embedded in a letter to a local newspaper, over the sigmature G. M. Bailey. Mr. Balley reasons, by a acries of steps which are an obvious as the multiplication table, that, supposing Dr. Talmage's position to be sound, that severend gentleman is confronted with a spost distressing problem. He says: Polygony is an althorrent thing, and Rob-should be thing.

A Polygony to an antonymit thing, and Hobcits sheried be imag.

2. Th. Taimage's segment problehed fact Monlay was the most observed suralignment of polygmy the country has ever seen.

2. Dr. Taimage has charmed the people in
same game by sain like thought that the good will
not their haved enes or the other share.

3. This is a bissed thought for the pure in
sact who travel through this wale of tears.

4. It this is true, the programme on earth
a heavenity different from that of heaven.

5. This is not for the pure the country, they
my many for earth, at one time.

8. By Taimage will seem the davide, having
tend in a situs-scalar manner with four carthly
three.

This is beenly and it is civilization on "To But there must be remiens in bearen.
"If Dr. Taimage may have the same trouble the next world that Rebute has in this."

What the next step in this chain of destuction may be it is a little difficult to say, if Dr. Talmings can be brought to reflect seriously on the question presented for his solution, it may give him a broader human esempathy with Mr. Roberts, or it may drive him lusane. There seems to be nothing that he can do in the matter, from a practical point of view. He cannot unmarry bismoulf, nor can be refuse support to earthly wives who are dead. It is harely repassible shat he may ndmit having made a slight mistake in his enfoulations, but that, in the light of his past career, is a titule more nulikely than the other two

If there is one subject on which Dr. even more us thun on his travels in the signed to write a "feature story" about the New Jerusalem. He has described the climate, topography, politics, social customs, language, amusements, and architecture of houses so exhauntively that one could almost find one's way about in the light from his minute descriptions. He has described the may in which the city is laid out, how the saints are given homes according to their occupations-some in Apostle Square. come in Mindonary Street, some in Mar-1378' Itom; and how the heavenly musicians, sitting at long and well-laden tables, pause now and then in their feasing to wipe their mouths and give a melodious blast on a unilimated horn, to express their utter content and joy. This may seem irreverent to the devout reader, but it is what Dr. Talmore says. He has apparently pictured braven as a glorided realization of the kind of city in which he would like to live on Their purpose in organizing was to force surth, with the people sorted out according | upward the price of bread. But there was to their different degrees of picty, and all one baker in the town mentioned who rethe gilding real gold, and good things to fused to become a member of this Benev

and scattered about promisenously. information there is no description of Dr. the usual price to the customers who has Talmage's own home, where he will sit, long been supplied by him. surrounded by those who have shared his let on surth, and present exactly the same petitions to have Dr. Talminge consigned to Anteresting.

The President and Sampson

There is a story abroad to the effect that the President has suggested the idea of many and conferring it on both Rear Ad- taker may have their bread without cost miral Schley and Sampson, with the latter on the stigulation that they decline to sefactory means of putting an end to the the local combine. so-called Sampson-Schley contraversy. If the story is true, it only serves to show. point to The matter.

Such a proposition would seem to inmostion to friends and admirers of the empress public outrry against the do sign of Long and Crowninshield which as is well known, is to force Sampson into a position which will give him strength enough to overcome the illegal-My of his attempted assignment to the further argument to convince them that command of the North Atlantic squadron, an indentan canal is a commercial neces un un "acting rear admiral," in open defixed of law, and thus lay a foundation for a claim to the flon's share of the Sanlago price money, to which he is neither

legally nor honorably entitled. If the President thinks that the general indigunition throughout the United States the project must shide a while. The ex-Rear Admiral's Schley's friends, or that he is that the claborate surveys now in procan quiet a demand for Congressional in- gress exampt possibly be completed in time gradicingly dividing the bonors of victory opportunity to put its shoulder to the enbetween that officer and one who is not terprise, even though it were so inclined smooth of a credit to the survice, he is we-

Cervers ever because a vice admiral or not commerce. left over from the wreath. The country is they can prevent the innovation.

insincerely and contemptfuly. McKinley Administration.

The advancement of Brig. Gen. Leonard Wood to the grade of major general of volunteers is considered, and no doubt rightly considered, to be preliminary to his apican extant for the position, and his select natures, but when Methuen and Buller bebest and wisest thing that could be done in the circumstances.

occived from Cuba that the endorsement of this expected Presidential action is by no means confined to the United States.

The Cubans hall the prospect of General time has won the respect and warm friendships of the people under his charge. Sureby it is well that such a man should be bidden to go up higher.

Pettigrew and the Spinners.

Japan for the promotion and protection of Pettigrew of South Dakota, and he has felt alarming evidence of moral degeneracy.

a result of his crushing spistle, they should at China through the "open door." be informed that he is an utterly harmless Talmare has always been especially fluent, and amusing person. In reality, he is beaten and crushed, as the veracious Otia Finity Land, it is the conditions which will consider the partial probable loss of the status quo which would mean a perchal constraint the such a coloriess and anniable body that he is easily impressed by the views respondent of a yellow fournal constaint.

As frequently remarked, has still enough of the status quo which would mean a probable loss of the position and salary that he is easily impressed by the views or wishes of anyone who happens to enjoy his acquaintance among the minor officials or agents of a transcentinental railway system were to any that the Nicaragua direls scheme is a fraud, he would be very apt to think so, too. He is all bark, and a his comfort be it said, it is very thick

An Incident in Jersey.

Trust methods could not possibly be more clearly illustrated than they are in a brief despatch from an enterprising town which is sufficiently unfortunate to be located in New Jersey. In this town there are a number of bakers. These lakers decided to form an association. lent Bakers' Mutual Benefit Association It seems a little strange that in all this and he continued to distribute his wares at

However, the other bakers of the rown were not discouraged by this obstinacy tableso now presented by Mr. Roberts, on the part of the lone and independent Fellowing out this argument to its concin. broad man who was a complete association elen, we find that other inhabitants of the unto himself. They had fearned a thing beavenly city will be found signing bulky or two while tarrying in Jersey where the trust flourishes like a whole forest of green outer darkness. And that would be sad, but bay trees. And they apparently knew all about the clever habits and devices of amalgamated capital, for the lone and in lependent baker is now followed about the streets every day by a wagon whos driver offers to give away bread. All the veriving the grade of vice admiral in the customers of the love and independent as senior of course, as a pleasant and sat- patronize the man who refused to enter

The Benevolent Bakers' Mutual Benefit Amodation is not saying anything, but i that Mr. McKinley altogether misses the looking very wise. According to the New Jersey code, this appears to be strictly legitimate. It will probably be convende volve an assumption on his part that it that the man who cannot afford to disis only necessary to offer a sep of pro- tribute free bread should go out of busivictor of Santiago, in order to forever bakers little trust will find a way to go its money back.

The Fight Against Progress.

Those who have sufficient perspicaer the side of a large red harn need n ulty, and is destined to be concerneded. The sugmented interests of America demand such a facility and the demand will continue to grow with steadily increasing popular forces behind it.

But, scording to trustworthy reports planution offered for this further delay of the Navy Department by to give Congress at its present session as

fully mistaken. Rear Adiolesi Schley is Isthmian Canal Commission, has expressed metally incidental to the case of the Amerithe opinion that the immense amount of
the Fornker Resolution and Prest. Several Important Matters Considfag the presentation of that body's report For example, so far as The Times Las until December, 1966. This will give the may feeling in the matter, and in the ab- opponents of the canal bill a breathing Marina" says: sence of personal acquaintance with either spell, but, outstimately, it will likewise Schley or Sampson, it would not market afford them the time to recoperate and the continue to be until it is rethe value of a second-hand market or recreasing the throngs of politicians who are suching the throngs of politicians who are suching the throngs of politicians who are such as the throngs of politicians who are s to, whether the gallant commander who fight against an improvement that means it may have been inspired by an honest defeated the Spanish fleet and captured the revolution of Western Hemisphere purpose, but it has accomplished nothing

to propose that if it will tolerate vessels shall be compelled to pursue the Government abuse." crawning Sampson with the chief laurels old, roundabout routes, and that the same

for the officer who won the battle, as it is coaches to carry travelers from place to to oppose and denounce the scheme to give piace, and, although we have no informagiory and keet to the absentee who not only tion that the proprietors of these slow. did not participate in or contribute to the | tumbering vehicles organized themselves result of the engagement, but who, from into a corporation to suppress the new the moment he arrived on the scene after steam machine that was destined to make all was over, has acted in connection with them obsolete, they certainly did not want the railroads and they must, from the pa-Rear Admiral Schley deserves to be made ture of things, have been very determined a vice admits), but, if that rank is also to not to have them. If anyone is doubtful be given to Sampsen, the price is too high of the result of this determined conservato pay for something which would be an clam, there are numerous statistical works eternal blot on the Navy, and on the which give in detail the railway mileage of the United States. While this is not a perfeet parallel, it is somewhat analogous. The moral may be castly drawn by any individual who can discover the difference between an elephant and an umbreila,

The Transvaal and Orange Free State pointment to the governor-generalship of Boers are reported to be quarreling bitterly Cubs. Whether the idea is to make him a among themselves; but we would not admilitary, a civil, or a composite governor | vise the British generals to count toe much general does not matter. In any case be on that fact as being in their favor. AN will be considered as the best fitted Amer- | the Boers are quarrelsome enough in their tion by President McKinley will be accept- gin to advance, it will probably de discoved by the country at large as the very cred that sufficient opportunity to indulge such proclivities will be furnished by them, and that all the Dutch will be united while It is evident from the tenor of despatches the fighting for Kimberley and Ladysmith is in progress.

Admissions in the semt-official Berlin The Cubans hall the prospect of General Wood in supreme authority at Havana German Government has definitely without act if necessary. Most of the revolutionary feeling is among the negroes. cate mission, and with great and unre- time it insisted that the integrity of the realed duties and responsibilities before | South African Republics should be mainhim, the general has acquitted himself as manual, as a matter of South African politi-Governor of Santiago Province with credit cal balance. The present position of the to himself and his country, and at the same | Empire is stated to be one of absolute neutrality, and non-interest in local results or changes, pending a conclusion of the war.

It is time for Otis to get out his blue pencil and his imagination again. Three thousand insurgents are reported as ready The Cotton Spinners' Association of the to attack Imus and Bacoor in Cavite pro-Southern States, in convention assembled vince, which places are defended by small at Charlotte, N. C., as readers of The Times | detachments of American troops. It is will remember, recently passed resolutions now fully seven months since Otis assured endorsing the national Phitippine policy, us that he would not know what to do with the demand for an open door in China; the | more than thirty thousand troops and that building of the Nicaragua Canal, and an the rebuls would not make "any further alliance "if need be" with England and serious stand in the southern provinces.

our trade interests in the Orient. All these Pekin; later it was Russin. Now we are It used to be England in control at riews and expressions have much perturbed told that the power behind the Empress that pure and disinterested statesman, Bowager's throne is Japan. A Japanese official is foreign adviser to the Tsung-liincumbent upon him to write a letter of Yamen, and the orb of the Mikado apondemnation to the association referred to. pears to have eclipsed the Muscovy duck. He denounces it for a vicious design to ex- Behind Japan, again, it may be suspected ploit its yarms in China at the expense of that the portly form of John Bull could a suffering and tax-ridden people, and con- be seen if sought; and possibly there is siders its plea for the Nicaragua Canal un even a further tail to the procession? The helmet of the Kuiser and the Star It is a pity about Pettigrew. But for the Spangled raiment of Uncle Sam may be make of preventing the immediate dissolu- in evidence if properly hunted for. All tion of the Cotton Spinners' Association us four, it is needless to remark, are gazing

Emilio Aguinaldo, although perhaps no more opposed to expansion or to the has frequently remarked, has still enough der the American flag, it would be sure to size. Ultimately, no doubt, he will get because of a long felt necessity to give affect his mental processes. Or if one of away with what he has, but more importantly, with what he knows, and that

Smashed in Theory Only.

(From the Portland Argus.)
The trusts have been annoted again in inion, that all trade roudinations sugages vent competition and enhance prices bey reasonable limit, thus restricting trade, are unman Auti-Teust Low, This decision is clear and explicit enough, but experience teacher that it is one thing to promulante laws suriou trusts and monopolics and quite another thing to get then

Good Laws and Bad.

(From the Barbford Courant.) No Congress ever yet did no mond imid citizens feared it would. A great deal liv works itself off in talk. The rtile and tedious essay reading, are su lava life safety-valve. Foolish bills perish by soo idreds every restion. They are introduy are referred, they are pigeon-holed, they di-thout a squeak. Only a very small part o mischierous legislation proposed over reache

The Astute Enlace.

om the St. Louis Globe Democrat.) The Eslaw is a better politician than are dvautige in getting an understanding at gland in view of fitture events in Asia frica. Of course, there is no truth in the one which make the United States a parry to munic-British entirate, but that there is ment beween London and Berlin in Ada nd African politics there is no cour for doubt.

Their Safeguard.

(From the Philadelphia Imputer If the Cubant insist upon independence presume that the United States, if it is to be in piedges, will have to turn the island over s nations at some future time, but if these ority whiles has the intelligence and per them health and prosperity. Cubs do if the were in he established into a separoverament there is no sloudy that most of a roof work assemptioned by the United Sea

A Frenk Kitten.

empth histor, which, Laving their Son's two born, is now preserved in along the killing has a black anal, interspen-rite "polling das". It has two body by me head, by which, however, me it I Two at its legs extend from the la-it is feedlers.

The Latin Republics

DISAFFECTION IN CUBA.

dent's Message Criticised. HAVANA, Dec. s. The Diario de la

Of source we should like to see justice Rumor says that certain powerful rail- prevented important concessions from being lone on the merits of the case. But way interests are determined that the isth- subbled up, but the injury it has worked to If will not appeare public sentiment mus shall remain uncut, that merchant the island is far greater than any possible

of Santiago, the man who won them in | masters and costly unloading and reloading | General Macco and Lieut, Francisco Gomea, inttle shall have a few of the dried leaves of thips' cargoes shall go on so long as son of General Gomez, who were killed dur not half as determined to exact due honor Once upon a time, there were stage Twenty-two special trains went from Ha-

monies. Six specches were made.

The sum of \$90,000 was collected at the custom bottse here yesterday. The Assistant Secretary of War has replied to the cable despatch sent by the Veteraus Association. clation to President McKinley, asking that no civil government be established here by the Americans. Mr. Meiklejohn says that the veterans' request will receive due attention from the Government

Secretary of Justice Lanuza has presented o Governor-General Brooke for his approval a decree introducing the writ of nabens corpus in Cubs.
SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Dec. 8.—A patri-

otic meeting at the Macco Club last night was largely attended by former officers and solidiers of the Cuban army. The speakers, while complimenting General Wood on his administration of affairs in this province, took occasion to make the most incendiary speeches that have been uttered since the American occupation. They declared that the American Government was evidently making every effort diplomatically to dispossess the Cubans of their promised independence. They denounced President McKinley's message as a confession of this treacherous intention. One speaker said the time was near at hand when the Cubans from one end of the island to the other must unite in one vast army, inspired by Macco's spirit, and sweep the aggressive, oppressive invaders from their shores. Gen. Quintin Banders, the president of the club, which is a negro organization, spoke more cautiously. He counseled organization GARCIA ON THE MESSAGE

The General Declares the President Has Pleased Cubuns.

Gen. Carlos Garcia, who has been over in New York conferring with prominent Cubans on the question of independence for Cubs, has returned here, and will remain until Congress takes some action on the subject as recommended by the President. In an interview last night with a Times representativé, General Garcia thus expressed himself on that part of the

President's message relating to Cubic 'The President's message is a loyal nonstration that the Administration has sincere all along, as I have repen said, toward carrying out the wi f Congress, that Cuba is to be an inde

McKinley has made an admirable and conclusive statement, which has given confidence to the most pessimistic in my country. Of late considerable talk has country. Of late considerable talk has been going on in Havana and in other cities of the Island against the establishcities of the Island against the cetablish-ment of a civil government on the ground that such a step indicated a purpose of prolonging American intervention indefi-nitely. Although I am is no way con-nected with the government, yet I have the firm belief that if such a scheme was ever contemplated to be enforced in Coba, nobody ever dreamed of delaying Ameri-can control more than was received. can control more than was necessary for the people to get settled and in shape to

take charge of the affairs of government "The agliators of these wild rumors were the employes themselves that are now un der General Brooke, with a view of creating an outburst of patriotic protests from the different organizations of the island. Naturally these men do not relieh a change

his confidence. If his triend Searles were his confidence. If his triend Searles were his confidence. If his triend Searles were in Manila. After being located in the change in the government of Cuba not south, the little Tagal is again in the north, and on the eve of being somewhere against the officials, for I do not, but because of a long telt necessity to give the Cubans a better show of recuperating their lost energies and reconstructing the country. And this can never be done unwill be joy to some people who need der the present regime because the men not be particularized.

der the present regime because the men that are in charge have no ability to indertake such a difficult task.

They have been nearly a year in office and yet the administration is just as full of Spanish red tape as in the sail days of Polaviejs, Blanco, or Weyler, 'The President's message has given con

fidence to all and I know that every Cuban heart is today full of hope. "Secretary Roof's report does justice to the Cubans, too, and in a way that heaves no doubt us to the good faith and intentions of the American Government toward Cuba "With regard to the services of Gen. Leonard Wood in Cuba and his promotion to a major generalcy, I think that he well deserves it. His work in Oriente has been marvelous. He has done wonders in a very short rime, aided by the officials he actfully appointed in Santingo, although he was greatly hampered by the controllizing nethods of General Brooks, who interfered anstantly in the progress of the Santiag

General García said the Coborn, when given the opportunity would demonstrate second all criticism that they are capstly of self-government and that the Unite States made so mistake when they helps hem destroy forever the Spanish yoke

INVESTIGATING THE RATES. Date of Hearing Set by the Interstate

Commerce Commission. The Interstate Commerce Commi-

esterday instituted an investigation to the natter of changes in freight classification nd advances in freight rates by carrier using official classification, and fixed th late of hearing for December 21, at Wash ngton. All the principal roads in the offi ial classification territory are required to appear. Numerous complaints have been filed with the Commission, alleging that the carriers had determined to put a new classification in effect on the 1st of January, and to cancel numerous commodity rates which have been in effect for several

Three complaints allowed that the nev ers and shipments in official classification

isadvantage.
The order of the Commission states that appears from an advance copy of the w classification that very large numbers changes from a lower to a higher clasill be made, and that existing difference, n classification between carlead and less han carload quantities of freight will be creby considerably increased

General Wood.

There will be jestions Army apposition to Wood's the President will movel and overcome these in detail, note that he has separated them, with that elever tast and gentle inferentian that have seen so useful in him in his current. What he can't is Calle is not civil government in itself, at government by Wood, and he will get it in her way. And if there is any exhibit. that the American respir has made up its mind bout Cube it is that the lest thing it can have or many years to come is greenment by Wood. MEETING OF THE CABINET.

ered at the Session.

The question of opening the ports of the Philippine Islands was discussed at the "The infamous Forager resolution has Cabinet meeting yesterday. The Secretary the throngs of politicians who are suching elections in America, which took place yes demand for the being and other commodi-lies raised in the Philippine Islands, and he didates for the vacant senatorship. It is ment by a majority of two rotes in a house

leave Washington tomorrow and sail from New York next Wednesday. The Secretary of War read two cable-

grams received from General Otis. The one stating that the Hongkong Junta was ranslating into Spanish statements made a the papers of this country and Europe and spreading them broadcast through the Philippines to keep up the insurrection was discussed at some length.

was discussed at some length.

The Secretary of State said that there was nothing to be done in the matter.

The cablegram telling of the pursuit of Aguinaldo was read with a good deal of The question of Ecuador disposing of the Galapague Islands to Great Britain was

brought up, but the Secretary of State said that there had been no official informa-tion received concerning the proposed deal. FRICK MUST TELL THE STORY. arnegle Silent on the Differences

With His Former Manager. PITTSBURG, Pa., Dec. 8.-In the opinion f conservative men here the truth of the break between Affdrew Carnegie and H. C. Frick will not be known until Mr. Frick makes a statement. Friends of Carpegie say that, having carried all his points and having ousted the former active manager of his concern, he will not talk about their personal relations, so that, if the public ever hears the inside story, it will come from Frick. Efforts were made yesterday and today to get experts to say what the effect upon the Carnegie Steel Company would be if H. C. Frick should consolidate his interests with a rival steel-making con-

The persons in position to make good guesses refused to do so. The coke quen-tion is a serious one. It was told by a prominent manufacturer today that H. C. Prick put up \$500,000 of the \$1,000,000 option forfeited to Carnegie when the scheme to consolidate their interests failed. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars was his original share, but it is said that Judge Moore, of Chicago, who contributed a similar amount of the option, falled when the arrangement went through, and Frick put up the amount himself

CANAL PURCHASE REPORTED. Vauderbilts Said to Be Buying Up

Southern Waterways, NORFOLK, Va., Dec. 8. The report is urrent here tonight that the Vanderbilts ave bought the Dismal Swamp Canal and he Albermarie and Chesapeake Canal. D.

WIN THE INSURANCE CASE. Heirs of a Murdered Man Defent a Cincinnati Company.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., Dec. 8 .- A suit to scover \$1,500 from the Union Central Life plied that the mi insurance Company of Cincinnati on a life insurance policy has been decided I the courts here in favor of the plaintiff. Genrie McK. Potter, late of this place was murdered in a lumber camp in Potte county, Pa., in May, 1894. He was lar even by his parents May 30, 1891. Th ody was buried without identification When application was made by Potter's father for the redemption of the policy the insurance company claimed that the upposed murdered man was still ally somewhere in the West. In January, 1898 the body was exhumed and identified by the cowick in the hair. The company continued to fight the case, but the jury has finally found a verdlet in favor of the dead man's father for the full amount of the policy with interest

A HUGGER AT LARGE. Gloucester, Pa., Has One of the

Species on Hand, GLOUCESTER, Pa. Dec. &-Glourester ity gallants are keeping watch these ights for a "Jack the Hurger," who has cen prowling about for the past week everal young women have had unpleasan xperiences with the hugger. He follows one females until they reach a dark or mely spot, and then makes advances to his

ictim. If he is repulsed he forces his arestes on the unprotedted female. prominent young woman living or on Street, near Sussex, was attacked on King Street while on her way home Monday evening. Her cries brought a knight errant, who pursued the bugger for ome distance; but was numble to catch number of young men have promised to

brash the hugger unmercifully if they t night with that intent.

ACCEPTS RED CROSS OFFERS. An Engipment Goes From Russia to

the Transvanl. ST PETERSBURG, Dec. 8 .- The Rustin ted Cross Society has offered its services o both the Boers and the English. The british Government declined the offer, stat

ing that its own hospital equipment was

officient. The Transvaul Government on the other and, accepted the tender, and a full equip-ment is now ready. It includes five do-ors, four assistants, and eight sisters as mores. The Red Cross Commission has roted 100,000 rubbes for the expenses of the expedition

Empty Air.

ogle Senster is not the act of the nution, eleion, extending to the Bare the asymptic his country in their present strongle, a point. If percent, that a solution we s in trouble with England at once, besides violat ing our principle of neutrality in contests that de not concern un. It will not be passed, and probab ly will never escape from the Committee on Faction Relations, but it will give Mr. Mason little additional notovicty, and that is should

A Coming Show.

O'rone the St. Paul Pieners From)
Some anterpression reportures talk as if
type led Paul Kingra and also to take
thrisk rion, but to but him or a rions and
im strend for exhibiting compares.

FIGHT FOR THE SENATORSHIP.

Farm in Avoid Politicians. LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. S.- Gurarmer Paynter left town today for his farm to avoid peterns today of the general prestness demand for the being and other commodities as a proper of the principal har to. Cuban progress is may have been inspired by an honest purpose, but it has accomplished nothing except to retail civilization. Possibly it has prevented important conversions from being add with the products of the country appears that it would soon be practicable to open a large number of the ports in order by the Populints, and Hitchcock backed by the Populints, a

central committee, today wrote to the Governor a long letter, in which he said:

"The issue before the people in the election of the Legislature in 1898 was distinct and well defined and resulted in the deliberate choice of a Republican majority, the electors fully understanding that it means the representation of this Sinte with the commentation of the sinte with the s

the representation of this State in the United States Senate by a Republican for six years." He calls attention to the fact To Dismiss Utah Postmasters to that a public officer has no higher duty than to see that a plainly-expressed wish of the people is obeyed. Speaking for the Republican organization, he asked, thereiblican or else call a special session to

MR. M'CARREN'S VIEWS.

New York Democrats in Congress Op-

posed to Free Silver. NEW YORK, Dec. 8.—Patrick Heary deCarren, New York State Senator, was at the Hoffman House tonight. He had been in Washington as the representative of Hugh McLaughlin, the Democratic leader of Brooklyn, on matters of the highest importance to the Democracy of the State of New York, Incidentally, Senator McCaren, while in Washington, undertook to land Villiam Sulzer as minority leader of the House of Representatives. It was no go-All now agree that the selection of Representative James D. Richardson of Tenessee was the wisest one under the cir-umstances that could be made, and the temocrats predict that Mr. Richardson, as leader of the minority in the House, is bound to make things very lively for Speaker Henderson. The Speaker has only a majority of twelve or thirteen on which he can count, and Mr. Richardson in spoken of by Democrats as a resourceful, tactful, dustrious, and mighty troublesome leader

trong the State of New York should make it known to all their berehren in other States that the Democrats of the Empires States that the Democrats of the Empires State were absolutely and unalterably opposed to the free coinage of silver at the ratio of sixteen to one. Already Secator McCarred says Representatives Driggs, Wilson, Clayton, and Fitzgerald, of Kingst. Scudder, of Long Island, and Underhill, of West-baster had signed and surved. Which the greater interest clings. They are Westchester, had signed a pelition asking the Democratic Congressmen of the State of New York to join them in making a t solid demand against the free silver issue

S. Burwell, secretary of the last named there was no coercion in this movement, and that there was no politics in it except confirm the report. ompany, seed on the report.

It is believed, however, to be probably well founded, as the two waterways, both leading from Norfolk to the Norfolk and Sounds, are competitors of the Norfolk and Sounds, are competitors of the Norfolk and Sounds are competitive and S

and Southern Railroad to control this successful and Westchester brought up the enormous business. The negotiarions were probably conducted in New York.

Island and Westchester brought up the fact that the Democratic State convention will be held along in the spring for the purpose of naming delegates at large to the Democratic National Convention. In prev-ous years State conventions which have elected these delegates at large have in-variably reaffirmed the Democratic national platform then in existence. Senator McCarren was asked about this and ro-

FRANCE CHECKED BY ENGLAND.

M. Etienne's Views on His Country's Colonial Policy. PARIS, Dec. 8 .- In the course of a speech the Chamber of Deputies today, M. Etienne declared that France was the only cation possessing colonies that remained nationary. The United States, he said, had taken Cuba, and Germany had won a veri-table colonial empire.

France could make no colonial progress

face of the attitude of England, who had orn up the treaty of Zanzibar and stoppe the French explorer, Mizon. ion, he declared that Franc

had given England considerable territory M. Etienne will ask the Government to con struct railways in Madagascar and Da-homey and to lay cables to counset al the French colonies.

SWITZERLAND THE ARBITER.

Sitting in Judgment on the Franco Brazilian Boundary Dispute. PARIS, Dec. 8.—In accordance with the resty of August 15, 1807, the French and Brazilian Governments on December 6 sho the Swiss Government as arbitrator of the erritorial dispute between the two coun-ries. The documents in the case are very

The reply of the French Government make ime and includes three maps. Th Brazilian Government's statement takes of daton is expected in a comparative

ANXIOUS ABOUT DEFENCES. A French Deputy Questions the Minister of Colonies,

PARIS, Dec. 5. - In the Chamber of Dep ties M. Firmin Faure, referring to Colonic Secretary Chamberlato's resout speech tasked M. Decrais, Minister of Culonies, I the necessary measures had been taken to ut the shares of France in a state of de He also asked if the defences of the col-

onies, especially Siam, the Souther Madagascar, had been tooked after. THE DETROIT AT COLON.

she Will Sail From That Port for Cartagena. COLON, Colombia, Dec. 5.-The Unite

mates cruiser Detroit has arrived here. She will and today for the vicinity of Cartagens The gunboni Cordoba will also sail for Cartageda with 400 troops. Owing to the rensorship, it is impossible to sen ull despatches

ustellane an Honest Republican me, who married Miss Anna Goold, anwho is accused, with a number of others of conspiring against the State, testified to day before the Senate, sitting as a high court of fautice. He declared that he was an honest Republican and that he had never conspired against the State. He added that to had never given money to aid the Royal

Quarantine Against Egypt Raised. LONDON, Dec. 8 - Italy and Maits have aimed their quarantines against Egypt.

THE GOVERNMENT DEFEATED.

Gavernor Poynter Retires to His Elections in Manitchia for Against the Liberal Party.

OTTAWA, Outario, Dec. 8.—The latest

either he is the or Premier Greenway will have a small majority. The final results will be uncertain for some time. Two members of the Greenway Cabinet were de-

Roberts Speaks Truly, Polygamiata will not be allowed to hold Pederal office under the present Adminis-

Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow declared yesterday that the statement made by Mr. Roberts that the Prest. dent had knowingly appointed two polyga-

mists as posimisters was untrue.

"You can say positively," said Mr. Bristow, "that no complaints whatever were filed at this department against Mr. Graham or Mr. Smith at the time of their it was declared that there were no papers on the indicating that cach a comptaint had been made. It is understood in official circles that the President has no intention of appointing any man to office who is charged with polygamy. If a complaint of this character were to be received against a positionater it would be investigated, and, if supported by criticals would make proper to the character were to be received against a positionater to the contract of the contract of

a request for the man's resignation. FOURTEEN ARE INDICTED.

rand Jury's Findings in Connection With Savannah Harbor Francis

SAVANNAH, Ga., Dec. 8.-The alleged of a minority.

Senator McCarren said tonight that in his opinion the Democracy of the State of New York should be put right on the money question, and that at the first favorable opportunity the Democratic Congressmen from the State of New York should make from the State of New York should make it known to all their herefren in other than the Carren or fitteen indictments of the Empire of that number only nine were put on record. The others were retained by the discount of the court of the cou which the greater interest clings. They are those found in connection with the con-spiracy charges which the grand jury has

f New York to join them in making a been investigating during the week. The indictments on which bench warrants a factor to one.

Senator McCarren made it plain that to the work in the Savannah Biver and Cumberland Sound by the Atlantic Con-tracting Company. Two of those indired, according to an attache of the court who

> The papers to lead to the prompt arrest of those against whom indictments have been found will be sent away at once, and Judge Emory Speer has said he is ready to would be wholesale indictments of local parties in connection with this case are not shought to be well founded, although the trund jury meets again on Mouday.

CHARGED WITH FRAUDS.

Former City Officials of Cleveland Under Indictment. CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 8.- The grand ury ended its investigation of the alleged rands at the city half, in connection with the administration of former Mayor McKisson, this aftercoon and found indicaments against four persons who were connected with the former administration to respon-

fble capacities. Among those indicted in Samuel U. Brooker, farmerly a high official in the auitor's department. It is claimed that Brooker O. K 'd fraudulent hills presented to the city by persons who falsely claimed to have furnished sup-Brooker was arrested this evening

nd it is expected that the other three will be prested abortly. DR. H. BAXTER WILSON INSANE. Rough Riders' Physician Sent to the

Chester Asylum. CHICAGO, III., Dec. 8.-Dr. H. Baxter Vilson has been sent to the Chester Asylum for Insune Criminals. Dr. Wilson was recently convicted of burglary. He on alleged to have broken tuto rooms in a hotel and to have stolen an overcoat. Dr. Wilson was ence a well amown pay-sician in New York. When Threofors Robsevelt organized the Rough Riders Iv. Wilson was made surgeon of the com-mand and went to Cuba with it. He had a his cell in the county fail a letter which a was fond of reading and rereading daily. geon of the Rough Riders.

A CONGRESSIONAL EXCURSION. Representatives and Senators to Vis-

it Cuba and Ports Rica. Many Representatives in Congress and a number of Scantors will, during the hotblay recess, go to Coha and Porto Rico with a view to obtaining personal information and direct limpressions concerning anditions in those islands.

It is thought unlikely that may Congressional committee will be appointed for the strong indicated, though when the quadrat of providing a form of government or Porto Hica arises this may be done for Porto Rico arises this may be done.

It is most probable that the southern rip will be made by Representatives on heir individual scrount, and that the pilprimage will be in the nature of a musking Congressional excusion.

Where GullSbles Are in Plenty.

(From the Indiampolis News)
The English company that is being found stract gold from sea water might be glide to dear of its beinds in New York even though theme was creek worked in this country.